

Table 9. Percent of mothers receiving prenatal care in first trimester of pregnancy by race and Hispanic origin of mother: United States, each State, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, and Guam, final 1996 and preliminary 1997

[By place of residence. Data are based on a continuous file of records received from the States]

Area	All races ¹		White, total ²		White, non-Hispanic		Black, total ²		Hispanic ³	
	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997	1996	1997	1996
United States ⁴	82.5	81.9	84.7	84.0	87.9	87.4	72.3	71.4	73.7	72.2
Alabama	82.3	81.6	88.1	87.8	88.7	88.3	70.3	68.8	62.5	62.1
Alaska	80.9	80.8	83.0	83.2	83.4	83.8	81.9	81.8	77.4	75.5
Arizona	75.3	73.7	76.5	74.8	84.9	83.5	70.8	69.6	65.1	62.5
Arkansas	75.7	74.8	79.4	78.7	80.5	79.8	62.8	61.0	59.9	56.9
California	81.8	80.6	81.8	80.4	87.9	87.1	78.6	78.8	77.3	75.5
Colorado	82.9	81.4	83.3	81.9	87.9	86.7	77.3	75.5	69.7	66.8
Connecticut	89.3	88.2	90.7	89.7	92.8	91.8	80.0	77.1	79.1	77.1
Delaware	82.6	83.6	86.4	87.0	87.7	88.8	71.4	72.8	69.8	67.1
District of Columbia ...	66.7	64.6	81.0	77.4	89.3	87.5	61.5	60.0	63.1	60.8
Florida	83.9	83.3	87.1	86.5	88.9	88.3	72.8	72.3	81.7	80.5
Georgia	85.8	85.2	89.5	89.0	91.0	90.5	78.5	78.0	75.8	73.3
Hawaii	83.4	84.2	88.9	89.3	89.8	89.6	89.2	86.4	81.9	83.6
Idaho	78.6	78.9	78.9	79.2	81.4	81.7	71.4	75.7	62.1	60.0
Illinois	82.5	81.5	85.6	84.7	89.5	88.6	69.7	68.8	72.8	71.4
Indiana	78.7	80.4	80.1	82.2	81.0	82.8	64.4	64.7	63.4	66.8
Iowa	87.5	87.1	88.1	87.7	88.9	88.5	73.5	75.0	70.6	69.1
Kansas	85.6	85.5	86.6	86.4	89.2	88.8	75.9	76.4	64.6	64.7
Kentucky	85.8	84.7	86.9	85.8	87.1	85.9	75.3	74.3	72.9	75.5
Louisiana	81.3	81.1	88.7	88.7	88.8	88.9	71.1	70.4	84.1	81.9
Maine	88.9	89.9	89.3	90.1	89.4	90.4	79.0	85.5	83.9	78.9
Maryland	88.8	88.3	92.6	92.4	93.3	93.2	80.3	78.5	80.7	81.0
Massachusetts	88.9	83.7	90.4	85.6	91.8	87.1	78.1	70.6	77.8	70.2
Michigan	84.2	84.2	87.2	87.0	88.4	88.1	70.6	71.5	73.8	73.1
Minnesota	84.2	83.5	86.8	86.0	87.6	86.7	64.4	64.5	61.7	59.8
Mississippi	80.0	78.6	89.1	88.0	89.3	88.1	69.4	68.0	78.5	80.2
Missouri	86.0	85.5	88.2	87.9	88.6	88.2	73.6	72.2	74.8	77.9
Montana	82.6	82.7	84.7	84.4	84.9	84.7	74.2	81.6	77.3	73.9
Nebraska	83.9	84.5	85.0	85.4	87.0	87.3	72.0	73.2	67.1	66.6
Nevada	76.1	77.6	76.9	78.5	83.3	84.2	66.6	67.4	64.3	65.7
New Hampshire	89.6	89.1	89.8	89.3	90.2	89.6	78.0	76.4	78.3	75.5
New Jersey	81.4	81.8	85.6	85.5	89.5	89.4	64.1	65.5	71.2	70.9
New Mexico	70.2	69.7	72.5	71.9	79.1	78.9	64.2	60.9	67.6	66.4
New York	80.6	79.1	84.0	82.6	87.8	87.0	69.8	68.4	71.1	68.4
North Carolina	83.9	83.5	88.2	88.1	90.0	89.6	73.2	71.8	69.3	67.8
North Dakota	84.8	84.7	86.7	86.3	87.0	86.6	75.0	78.7	75.7	71.5
Ohio	85.1	85.4	87.4	87.6	87.7	87.9	72.2	72.5	76.6	76.4
Oklahoma	78.6	78.7	81.2	81.1	82.1	81.8	67.7	67.1	67.8	70.1
Oregon	81.1	79.9	81.4	80.3	83.9	82.6	79.3	76.6	66.8	65.6
Pennsylvania	83.8	84.2	86.6	87.1	87.5	88.0	68.0	67.1	71.5	70.6
Rhode Island	89.5	89.6	90.6	90.8	92.2	91.8	79.7	78.6	81.4	84.1
South Carolina	80.8	79.4	87.1	86.2	87.8	86.9	69.2	67.1	67.1	63.9
South Dakota	82.1	81.7	85.2	85.5	85.5	85.7	69.2	63.9	70.8	71.3
Tennessee	83.7	83.3	87.1	86.7	87.9	87.2	71.8	71.5	63.3	65.5
Texas	78.5	78.1	78.8	78.4	86.8	86.6	74.6	74.0	71.2	70.2
Utah	83.8	83.8	84.6	84.7	87.1	86.8	70.3	64.5	63.8	64.9
Vermont	88.1	87.4	88.3	87.5	88.4	87.6	*	*	*	89.5
Virginia	85.1	84.5	88.8	88.4	90.2	89.7	73.5	72.1	72.6	72.6
Washington	83.4	83.2	84.1	84.1	86.2	86.1	77.0	76.7	70.8	70.7
West Virginia	82.0	81.9	82.6	82.5	82.7	82.6	65.4	65.9	72.6	73.7
Wisconsin	84.6	84.1	87.3	87.0	88.1	88.0	68.9	66.2	72.6	69.5
Wyoming	82.6	81.9	83.4	82.5	84.2	83.8	75.8	64.6	73.9	69.3
Puerto Rico	78.4	77.3	79.1	78.3	---	---	69.6	66.2	---	---
Virgin Islands	56.8	55.4	60.9	60.1	79.5	76.3	55.6	54.5	53.2	52.6
Guam	64.3	66.6	84.9	79.7	85.2	80.1	87.5	80.5	73.3	78.0

* Figure does not meet standards of reliability or precision.

--- Data not available.

¹ Includes races other than white and black.² Race and Hispanic origin are reported separately on the birth certificate. Data for persons of Hispanic origin are included in the data for each race group according to the mother's reported race; see Technical notes.³ Includes all persons of Hispanic origin of any race; see Technical notes⁴ Excludes data for Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, and Guam.

NOTE: Data are subject to sampling and/or random variation. For information on the relative standard errors of the data and further discussion, see Technical notes.